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NOTIFICATION UNDER

Application No. 09/508,512

37 CFR 1.28(c)

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This is a notice regarding your request for acceptance of a fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28(c), filed July 16, 2004.

37 CFR 1.28(c) states: "The deficiency is based on the amount of the fee, for other than a small entity, in effect at the time the deficiency is paid in full." Accordingly, the fee deficiency submission under 37 CFR 1.28 is hereby accepted.

The change of status to a large entity has been entered and made of record.

This application will be returned to Technology Center 1700 for examination in due course.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter may be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-9200.

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